MONTHLY & DAILY

CRSP U.S. TREASURY RELEASE NOTES

MAY 2018 MONTHLY UPDATE

GENERAL DATABASE INFORMATION

- SAS data sets are provided, which can be used with SAS directly with no conversion needed.
- The CRSP US Treasury Databases have been tested on Windows 10 and Linux.

For complete details and instructions, please refer to the CRSP Treasuries Guides on our website at www.crsp.chicagobooth.edu/documenteation.

RECOMMENDED USE

Our recommendation is to access the data through CRSPSift. For non-Sift users, complete ASCII delimited, SAS, and Excel files are available.

DELIVERY METHOD

Sift Professional and Enterprise are available to all CRSP subscribers for downloading on our MOVEit site, https://crsp.moveitcloud.com in the Utility Downloads folder.

Sift Professional is supported on Windows 7, Windows 8, and Windows 10 computers. Sift Enterprise supports Servers 2008 R2 and 2012 R2. See details in the Sift Release Notes on our website at

http://www.crsp.com/products/software-access-tools/crspsift

ZIP INSTALLS

CRSP uses a zip process for data installation. ZIP utilities that are standard on all platforms should work to unzip the databases. On Windows computers, CRSP recommends using 7-ZIP, which can be downloaded from this site: http://www.7-zip.org/

ZIP FILE STRUCTURE AND PROCESS

There are four separate zip files; each will have to be extracted separately. At the time the files are unzipped, make sure to set the directory path to the intended home directory (for example, in Windows C:\ , in Red Hat /home). The unzip process will extract to that directory under the subdirectory \crspdata.

Note that the destination directories have also changed as part of this process.

Zip file on	Description	Install path	File size (MB)	
disk			Zipped	Unzipped
trzyyyymm_ ascii	CRSP ASCII flat files	\crspdata\ trzyyyymm_ascii	169.77	859.76
trzyyyymm_ cadb	CRSP Access files	\crspdata\ trzyyyymm_cadb	129.71	291.85
trzyyyymm_ excel	CRSP Excel files	\crspdata\ trzyyyymm_excel	115.14	118.46
trzyyyymm_ sas	CRSP SAS files	\crspdata\ trzyyyymm_sas	157.78	571.49

The tables below list version specific information for the Daily and Monthly CRSP US Treasury Databases.

MAY 2018 FILE VERSION SPECIFICS

	Monthly Bond	Daily Bond
Data Range	19251231-20180531	19610614-20180531
Total Issues	6977	5129
Maximum Active Issues	400	400
Active Issues This Update	343	343

SUPPORT

Contact CRSP Client Services for assistance at support@crsp.chicagobooth.edu or call 312-263-6400, Option 2.